#### THE WEEK IN SOCIETY.

MRS. BRADLEY MARTIN'S COTILLON - RE-CEPTIONS AND DANCES.

The historical feasts of ancient peoples were simple indeed when one takes into consideration what has been done for the pleasure-loving people in society during the last week. A Cleopatra's draught, compared with the banquet offered by Mr and Mrs. Bradlev Martin to nearly 300 of their friends on Friday night, was as nothing. It was conceded by a number of the people present, who had travelled extensively that in no country has there been a more splendid feast, and one woman who has lived much abroad declared that in Marlborough House, in the palaces of France, Italy and Spain she had never beheld such magnificence of service and detail. The fact of being at Delmonico's seemed not to enter the minds of the guests, so utterly had the place been changed. decorations have been so recently described that it will eccessary to call attention to them again, but the general arrangements of the dinner have not been spoken of. It was not to be expected that so great a number of people could be seated at so early an hour as 8 o'clock, but promptly at 9 all the guests were in their places. As each man arrived, there was given to him a diagram of the ballroom, his table and place being marked, and the name of the lady he was to take in. In this way ion was avoided, and the scating of so many guests was almost a question of mere clockwork. just one hour and a half to serve the dinner

The display of jewels, handsome gowns and beautiful women was little short of bewildering. There was no table of honor, the only distinction being made for the married people, who were seated at the table of the host or the hostess. Mrs. Martin went in with August Belmont, and at one side of her sat E. L. Winthrop, while nearby were Mrs. W. W. Astor and E. D. Post, Mrs. Ogden Goelet and Eliot Gregory. Mrs. Van Rensselaer Kennedy and Goold Hoyt, Mrs. Paran Stevens and George W. Smalley, while directly opposite the hostess was Mrs. Belmont, with Frederick Sheldon. Mr. Martin took in Mrs. William Astor. At his table were Mrs. Arthur Paget, Mrs. Cruger and ne of the younger married women. Ward Mc-Allister was at one of the middle tables, taking in

Mrs. Byam Stevens.

Mrs. Belmont was cordially welcomed after her pink satin, with a tlara of diamonds once worn by Marie Antoinette. Mrs. W. W. Astor's gown was flower but "the blood-red rose of war." of gold-colored satin, and Mrs. S. V. R. Cruger wore pale green, with a garniture of ivy leaves and a band of diamond ivy leaves in her hair. Mrs. William Astor, ablaze with diamonds, wore an intricate costume of lilac velvet and embroidered satin. Mrs. 'grippe.' Paran Stevens were amethyst satin and trocade, and and gold brocade. Mrs. Martin's gems were a king's ransom. Besides the thara and At this point a congratulatory message came from Whitaker and Crashawe's "Good Newes from Value" and Crashawe's "Good Newes from Val Mrs. Arthur Paget a yellow satin over a petticoat of necklace of rubies, and several strings of diamonds as well, and shoulder knots of rubles. The collarette

soon as the dinner was over the ballroom was descried for the drawing rooms, where coffee was erved, the men going to the upper rooms for a smoke. The ballroom was again filled at midnight, the cotilion beginning soon after. The magnificent baskets of American Beauty roses which had adorned the different tables were quickly made up into bouquets and tied with broad pink ribbons, on which was inscribed the date of the dinner, and as each lady returned to the ballroom the hostess presented one to her. The baskets of lilles of the valley which had hung golden sconces were given during the cotilion, as were also the lilacs, lilles and orchids which graced the great bell-like chandeller, which was suspended from the centre of the room and lowered by pulleys. During the course of the dance Mrs. Martin's wonderful executive ability was shown throughout, and the placing of her guests was considered remarkably well done. Out of compliment to American girls, none but American Beauty roses were used on the tables. It is natural to compute the cost of such an entertainment, and it was said by those of experience in dinner giving that not less than \$40,000 could have been expended. Fully \$100,000 worth of bric-a-brac and tapestries were used in tife decorations. Something quite out of the usual run was Mr. and

Mrs. Hewitt's reception of Tuesday night. It had been announced that an extraordinary performance of the previous week, but no one was prepared t vitness scenes from "Alice in Wonderland," had been dramatized by a friend and prepared by Dion Boucleault. The Impossibilities of the absurd the mouths of society people, who attired themselves to resemble as much as possible the laughter-provok-The scenes given were "A Mad Ten-Party" and "The mother's Partime."

take a place among the notable incidents of the winter.
If confined all the elements of success, a brilliant assemblinge of young people, handsome decorations, a splendid supper and a dance that lasted until 4 o'clock. The favors suggested the poem of "Mand Muller" for the favors suggested the favors suggest there were rakes and summer hats, but there was not the simplicity of costume of the heroine of the poem.

Miss Davis's mother is not living, but she had the able - November Day," C. M. McHenny, 2000; "Going to

by Mrs. S. V. R. Cruger, Mrs. Luther Kountze, Mrs. A. F. Bunner, \$100; "Little Bergar," C. D. Weldon William C. Whitney, Mrs. Elliott Roosevelt, Mrs. Robert Goelet, Mrs. Oliver Iselin, Mrs. Adolph Ladenburg and Mrs. Bradley Martin, was the feature of last Midlary, 850; "Chat with the Dominic, night, many dinners preceding it. The dinners were F. L. Henry, \$150; "Fast Asleep." W. S. Bucklin all early and informal. Mrs. W. C. Whitney's was all early and informal. Mrs. W. C. Whitney's was the largest, her guests being nearly all young people.

Mrs. Comper and Mrs. Comper and Mrs. Konnize also "Willow Whistle, T. W. Wood, \$150; "Landscape "Willow Whistle, T. W. Wood, \$150; "Landscape Mrs. Roosevelt, Mrs. Cruger and Mrs. Konntze also

Mrs. Robert Goelet's to-morrow night, and the last Assembly at Delmonico's on Thursday night. The Monday evening dancing class will be entertained by Mr. Gurnee at his home, No. 626 Fifth-ave. Mrs. by Mr. Gurnee at his home. No. 626 Fifth ave. Mrs. Goodridge will have a dance on Wednesday night, and Herbert Beach Turner on Friday might at Sherry's.

There will be some weddings of hote. On Tuestagy morning Baron Halkett will wed Miss Sarah Phelps stokes at the Church of the Heavenly Rest, and on the same day Miss Louise H. Ward will be married to E. A. S. Chaze at the Church of the Ascension. The wedding of Miss Helen Hamersby to C. D. Stickney, ir., will be extremely quiet, as the bride is in mourning. The eremony will take place will be hanter of Grace Church, to which cards. The wedding breakinst for Miss Stokes will be served by Imard, and all the guest will be served by Imard, and all the guest will be served by Imard, and all the guest will be served by Imard, and all the guest will be served

hruse of the bride's parents being thrown open for the first time.

Mrs. E. S. Auchincioss, No. 24 East Forty eighth-st., gave a reception with music yesterday afternoon, About 150 people were present. The Beethoven String Quartette, Theodore Bjorksten and Miss Ger-trade Griswold were heard.

Mrs. Vanderbilt Cross, No. 8 East Forty-second-st., gave a yellow luncheon vesterday. Finard served it, Her guests were Mrs. Frederic R. de Peyster, Mrs. Nicholas de Peyster, Mrs. J. W. Daviel, Mrs. Edward Stirgis, Mrs. Isaac N. Phelps. Mrs. J. Edward Sim-mons, Mrs. Thomas Storm, Mrs. Horace Charli Hazen, Miss Harriman, Mrs. Neffel and Mrs. Pio Echeverria. Mrs. John D. Townsend and Mrs. Pio Echeverria. Miss Harriman, Mrs. Neffel and Mrs. Pio Echeverria.

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443 West Thirsy fourth st., gave a harsy reception yes

terday Infermon. Receiving with them were Mrs.

Charence Postley, Mrs. J. Scarle Barclay, Miss Guernsey, Mrs. Charles Mitchell, Euroness Wardener, Miss

De Witt, Miss Mollie Clinton Brown, Miss Dugro, Mrs.

William Crechton and Mrs. William Story. Among the

guests were Jödge and Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Bettner,

General Fremont, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cleveland,

Mrs. Ludlow, Mrs. Henry Beckman, Dr. and Mrs.

Morris H. Henry, Mrs. Rhinelander Lieseker, Mrs.

Hicks Lord, Mrs. Thomas Ronalls, Mr. and Mrs. John

P. Townsend, Mrs. E. M. Raymond, De Lancey Nicoll,

A. S. Yeaton, Clinton Stuart, Guilford Horry, G. G.

Stow, W. L. Hamersley, Robert Center and Alexander

Kelsey.

Kelsey. A Hames-Sey, Non-Kelsey.

Mr. and Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt sailed on their yacht the Alva on Wednesday for Madeira, whence they will go to Lisbon and then to Mediterranean ports. They will pass some time at Niec, returning to Newport for July and Angust. Early next month Dr. and Mrs. W. Seward Webb will sail for Eurone accompanied by G. Creighton and Louis Webb, and in April Mr. and Mrs. Concellus Vanderbilt will sail. Mr. and Mrs. Stuyvesant Flsh will soon start for New-Orleans with a next of friends.

Seventy-ninth-st., gave an umbrella luncheen on Thursday to twenty five ladies. The guests were scated at five round tables, each table being lighted by a high lamp with spreading shade, corresponding in color with the floral decorations. Among the guests were Mrs. T. J. Flags, Mrs. Seth Low, Mrs. C. C. Coombs, Mrs. C. F. Chandler, Mrs. Rufus B. Cowing and Mrs. C. E. Pellew.

The grangers of the Nursery and Child's Hos-

gers of the Nursery and Child's Hos-Fifty first st, and Lexington ave., for pital, Fitty hest-st. and Lexington ave., for which the Charity hall is given, are extremely grateful to their friends for their liberal support this year. Although so many friends were prevented from being present by the epidemic of the influenza, their unabated in-terest swelled the net receipts to over \$12,000.

#### AT THREE SCORE AND TEN.

GEN. SHERMAN NO OLDER THAN HE FEELS.

CELEBRATING HIS SEVENTIETH BIRTHDAY-

CONGRATULATIONS FROM MANY PLACES. General William Tecumseh Sherman was born on Yesterday, at the age of three score and ten, he looked well, and spent a busy birthday at his home, No. 75 West Seventy-first-st., in receiving visitors, in reading congratulatory letters and telegrams, and in opening packages containing all sorts of presents-among them, medals, badges and addresses, and flowers in profusion. In the evening he gave a dinner party, the first of a series of three which he intends to hold for his seventieth birthday. To invite all his friends at once would have crowded his | Dodd, Mend & Co. got the other two at \$870 and dining-room, and General Sherman does not like a crowd; so he made three separate companies of his Retronati," describing the voyages of Columbus and

He spent a great part of the day in his office in the | The basement of his home. Here, surrounded by the fur- Hylacomus was another rare book. There were four nishings which make the little room unmatched in this country, he sat at his desk, wearing his big the edition supposed to be the first for \$650, and the tertoise-shell-rimmed spectacles, and by turns talking | Strasburg edition for \$210. and looking at what postman, messenger and tele- were secured by Dodd, Mead & Co. and the Brown graph-boy or expressman brought to him almost every library at \$270 and \$110 respectively-

On the walls of this little office of his hang maps of floor stand his camp-chests, filled with uniforms, Description of Virginia," \$115, were sold to Mr. swords, belts, and all sorts of military accourrements. ters, diaries, orders from the War Department, commissions, memoranda and other documents, daily increasing Dodd, Mead & Co. John Pierce got "Virginia Richly long absence from society. She were some of her most famous jewels. Mrs. Ogden Goelet was in pale in value, and forming the material for a complete and detailed record of his experiences during those. Among the books which

> thank my friends for their wishes for my welfare, and | ica," \$160; Williams's "Bloody Tenant," \$220, and at seventy I don't feel any different from what I did "Experiments of Spiritual Life and Health." ten years ago-twenty years ago. I hadn't any Winslow's "Hypocrisic Unmasked." \$140. as "grippe." Not a bit. I didn't have time to "Danger of Tolerating Levellers In a Civili attend to it. I have had letters and messages not \$130; Wood's "New-England's Prospect." only from all over the United States, but some from | Another copy of "Good Newes from New England"

vivors of the First Battalion of the 13th Infantry, sold to Mr. Ives; De Vries's "Kerte Historiael," \$130, The General was much pleased by it. But all the to Dodd, Mead & Co.; Wolley's "A Two Years' Reichstag, messages pleased him, although he would give for Journal in New-York," \$240, to J. F. Sabin; Zarate's equal pa present owner at the sale of the French Crown jewels. of the callers. "What's the good?" he remarked.

Knox.
It was a remarkable rennion, because at the close of the war General Sherman was Commander in Chief of "Sherman's Army," and in command under him were General Schoffeld, General O. O. Howard and sold high were a petition as

were General Schoffeld, General S. General Slocara.

The Union League Club thought of giving General Sherman a reception last night, but he sent word to the club that his private dinner was an engagement that must take precedence of everything. The recention had therefore to be postponed. A diste will probably be fixed for it at the monthly meeting of the club on Thursday. It is not unlikely that it will be held during March, perhaps on the night of the regular meeting.

The little advertisements on the eighth and nintle pages of The Tribune this morning run along the whole gainst of human necessities. They appeal to every condition of man and woman.

### SALES OF WATER-COLORS.

A SUCCESSFUL WEEK AT THE ACADEMY. The amount of the sales for the first week of the ing cuts of the people in the book. The Alice was emacted by Miss Jeanne Turnure while Mrs. Cooper was the Hatter, Miss sallie Hewitt the March Hare, Miss E. Hewitt the Dormouse, Murray tions, 7 F. S. Church, Si25; "Noon, 7 C. E. Cookman, obster Quadrille." A supper and dance followed.

The dance for Miss Flora Davis at sherry's must \$250; "Spanish Balcony." Walter Satterice. \$200. of Mrs. Paran Stevens and Mrs. Townsend Market, J. L. G. Ferris, 850; "Gylsy Girl," W. L. Hedson, 850; "Evening at Ferry," L. E. Van Gorder 8225; "Sketch," C. Y. Turner, \$150; "Darky and Joan," W. Satterlee, \$125; "Winter Fuel," F. Mrs. Roosevelt, Mrs. Cruger and Mrs. Konntze also had dinners, the latter lady's guests being Mr. and Mrs. Borden Harriman, Calley Edillon, Mrs. Lina Post, Mrs. Columbus Iselin, Mrs. Lucius Wilmerding and Julian Kean. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Turnure had a dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cleve land, her guests afterward going to the dance. The cotillon begun shortly after the arrival of the subscribers, Franklin Hartlett leading with Mrs. Kountze. The favors were long sashes of watered ribbons finished with great resettes, feather fans, decorations and orders attached to ribbons, and a variety of sliver trinkets for the men. Dancing was over before midnight.

For the coming week there is the small dance at

## WORKING HARD FOR BALLOT REFORM.

The XXIIId Assembly District branch of the New meeting last night at the club-rooms, of the Harlem Democratic Club. No. 247 West One-hundred and twenty-fifth-st. The speakers of the evening were Simon Sterns, Percy D. Adams, Charles W. Dayton C. F. Doody and ex-Secretary Fairchild. The follow

Resolved, That this meeting, composed of members of all parties, declares itself in favor of a liablet fee form bill which shall embody the forlowing principles; all ballots shall be offerini and shall be printed and distributed at public expense; the names of all candidates for the same office shall be printed on the same ballot, all ballots shall be delivered to the voter within the polling place on election day by swern public officials; only official ballots so delivered shall be voted. The voter shall be maximized absolute privacy in preparing his ballot, and the secrecy of the ballot made composer; voters shall have the right to nominate can diffacts by properly certified petitions. Further, we oppose any suggested compromise whereby a mixed efficial and unofficial ballot shall be provided.

The Ballot Reform League is engaged in preparing.

The Ballot Reform League is engaged in preparing a petition to the Legislature in favor of that cause, which, at present, is of first importance to the American ican people. To collect signatures in sufficient mumbers, in the short time remaining, to make that pe desired effect upon the Lexislature and the Executive, large expenses are inevitable for printing, pasture and elected help. The Ballot Riform Lexage, ther fore, appears to all patrotic clittens for such contributions as they may see fit to give. Contributions should be sent to Lawrence Dunham, secretary, No. 58 William-st. tition as impressive as it should be, to produce the

#### THEATRES THAT ARE CLOSE TO DWELLINGS. "The Insurance Times" suggests to the fire under

provement in the construction of theatres and publi wholly detached from private dwellings. An article in the last number of the paper points out that many of the theatres of this city are close to dwellings, and asserts that there should be at least twenty feet of companied by G. Creighton and Louis Webb, and in April Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Vanderbilt and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Vanderbilt and Mr. and Mrs. Staryvesant Flsh will soon start for New-Cricans with a party of friends.

The engagement is announced of E. A. Abbey, the Arits, to Miss Gertrude Mead, daughter of Frederick Mead, of this city.

Mrs. Pierre de Peyster Ricketts, No. 115 East

country, asking information about the building laws bearing on this point.

THE MANUSCRIPT DAY.

LARGEST PRICES OF ALL REALIZED AT THE CLOSE OF THE BARLOW SALE.

THE BUSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY PAYS \$6,500 FOR THE MASSACHUSETTS RECORDS-SOME OTHER BUYERS.

The last books in the catalogue of the M. Barlow library were among the valuable of the whole collection, as the bids made for them yesterday afternoon showed. Brayton Ives was the largest buyer. The first book to bring a high price was a black-letter volume, which contained a Latin version by de Cosco of Columbus's famous letter—" De Insulis nuper innentis Epistola Christopheri Colom (cui etas nostra multa debet : at quas perquirendas octano antea mense: auspicilo ere inulctissimi Fernandi Hispaniarum Regis missus fuerat)" M.CCCC.XCIII. There were only thirty-six pages in the little volume, but Mr. Ives paid 8-190

Four copies of the "Mundus Novus," by Americus Vespucius, 1502-8, brought out a keen competition. Mr. Ives bought two of them for \$1,200 and \$270, and The same writer's "Paesi 9825. Vespucius, went to the Boston Library, #570. "Cosmographial Introductio" by Vespucius and copies of this work also. Mr. Ives bought a copy of

Barlow's collection of old books on Virgini was unrivalled. "A True Declaration of the Estate the battle-fields where he fought and won. On the of the Colonie in Virginia," \$210, and "A Perfect "Virginia's Cure," \$80, and "Some Observations Made In a big the proof safe he keeps an immense mass of let- Upon the Virginian Notis," \$100, went to the Lenox

Among the books which went to the Boston Librar years when his birthdays brought him for a gift no were these: Vincent's "True Relation." \$110: flower but "the blood-red rose of war." John White's "The Planters' Plea," \$120. "I am in good health," said General Sherman. "I Roger Williams's "Key into the Language of American ars ago. I hadn't any Winslow's "Hypocrisic Unmasked," \$140, and his 1 didn't have time to "Danger of Tolerating Levellers in a Civili State," stomacher of diamonds she were a collarefte and Henry Oliver, president of the Association of Sur- 8175, and Waterhouse's "Declaration" 8110, were be the special commission

Emmons Diaine called in the afternoon to wish the General "many happy returns." The widow of General many happy returns. The widow of General Grant sent her "good wishes.

Grand army posts, army associations and vetefans in all parts of this country sent remembrances in various forms.

At General Sherman's dinner party in the evening were Senator John Sherman, General Schotleld, General O. O. Howard, General Schotleld, General O. O. Howard, General Sherman, Wagon Chapmace M. Depew, Joseph H. Choate, General "Tom" Ewing, who is General Sherman's brother-in-law General Wagon Swayne, Mayor Hugh J. Grant, Mayor Chapm, Colonel John M. Wilson, superintendent of West Point, Augustin Policy, J. W. Pinchot, Logan C. Murray and John Jav Krox.

THE KENDALS BIDDING FAREWELL TO BOSTON.

## MR. KREHBIEL'S SECOND LECTURE.

H. E. Krehblet will give the second lecture of his urse on "Richard Wagner and His Lyric Dramas" at Stelnway Hall next Wednesday, at 3 p. m. The special subject for the day is "Wagner and His Art wagner's work is related to that of the Greek tragestans, including a comparison of his orchestra with the Greek chorus. The relations of the music and the text of the drama are also dwell upon, and the qualifications of the composer as a poet, as well as his poetical methods and his musical system. Anton seldi will assist Mr. Krehbiel with illustrations at the planoforte.

#### ----THE GONDOLIERS " DAY OF EMBARKATION.

It was decided last night that the opening of "The Gon dollers," with the new company at Palmer's Theatre, should be on Tuesday night of next week, instead of on Monday. It was thought that a little more time might wanted for some changes that are to be made in the be wanted for one changes that are to be made in the scenery, and there will also be more time for rehearsals. In view of this change of plan, the opera is now likely to stay on the stare of the New Park Theatre, with the pres-ent company, till Thursday or Friday of this week, instead of ending its run on Wednesday, as was intended.

## A DELAY IN ELEVATED TRAFFIC.

The cylinder-head of an engine on the Third-ave, ele-vated railroad was blown out at the Houston st. station a few minutes before 6 p. m. yesterday. The accident impeded traffic for nearly a half hour. There was little ex-

The Lincoln Club of Brooklyn proposes to give of Wednesday evening a reception that will eclipse all its or more, by eminent American and foreign artists, will be used to embellish the reception room, hallway and larse parlor on the lower floor. The floral decorations and the display of potted plants will be unusually layth and costly. Itaneling will begin at 10 o'clock, the dance music below played by the Honoarian and the promension music by Cappa's Seventh Revincot Band. A choice supper will also be formished by a prominent catery on Thursday the club house will be open from 2 until 8 o'clock in the afternoon, to enable the relatives and friends of the members to examine it, and also take a more letarrely view of the pictures.

#### elsurely view of the pictures. BETTER SHIPS MAKE BETTER SEAMEN.

From The Marine Journal.

The days of good seamen for the old-style sailing ship

THE POWERS, IF INVITED, LIKELY TO RE FUSE TO TAKE PART IN THE CONFERENCE.

THE SOCIALIST PARTY STRENGTHENED BY THE DECREES AND ARRANGING FOR A VIGOR-

OUS CAMPAIGN-MINISTER PHELPS

VISITING THE CHANCELLOR. Copyright; 1890; by the New York Associated Press. Berlin, Feb. 8.—Opinion inclines to the view that the Emperor's Socialistic propositions will never lead Captain Charles Currie, Captain D. W. Hopper; secre to any practical result; and the more closely the tary and treasurer, L. L. Robbins; executive commitrescripts are examined, the more the scepticism grows. | tee-E. S. Greeley, 10th Connecticut Volunteers; the European Powers, if ever invited, will assent to Lavake, 27th Massachusetta Volunteers; James O'Neill, take part in such an international conference as that upon which the Emperor addresses Bismarck in his Massachusetts Volunteers; P. S. Gilmore, 24th upon which the Emperor addresses Bismarck in his first rescript. England, France, Belgium and Switzer chusetts Volunteers; W. B. S. Boudinat, 9th New land are named by the Emperor as involved in his Jersey Volunteers; Charles W. Walton, 51st New scheme; but this use of the names of those States has | York Volunteers; D. P. Bible, 51st Pennsylvania Volbeen made without any understanding with any one unteers; Ashmon Gates, 8th Connecticut Volunteers of them. His Majesty, in fact, says that he desires J. B. Horner, 9th New York Volunteers; C. H. Barney, that the Ambassadors of those nations be sounded on 4th Rhode Island Volunteers. the subject, but he does not even direct the opening of a negotiation, and, in fact none has been opened.

The association sent a congratulatory message to General Sherman on his seventieth birthday

of a negotiation, and, in fact none has been opened. ipon the fact that Switzerland herself formerly adeavored to initiate such a proceeding. Marquis of Salisbury declined the Swiss invitation to the labor conference. It does not necessarily follow, however, that he would refuse an invitation from the Emperor of Germany because he refused The French press. as a whole, treats the mere idea of the conference as an insult.

The obvious futility of the general proposition touched in the rescripts has led to the report that the conference will ignore the subject of minimum wages, limiting itself to the consideration of the ndustrial employment of women and children, the conomic and other aspects of sunday labor, and the ity for this report, which implies that the project of the rescripts has reached a point where a regular programme has been drawn up. The semi-official press admits that this agreement upon the agenda of the conference, upon the true basis of negotiation and the limitation of inquiry, will, in consequence of the difference of system in various countries.

If any important fact is to flow from these which proposes internal changes, new labor Virginia, between employers and workers. The first fact will good, R. Senac, A. Jacoby and Charles Koch, jury. which will be convened to prepare bills for the range. This is to be composed equal parts of workingmen and employers. was formed by two bracelets which once adorned the arms of Marie Antoinette, being purchased by the present owner at the sale of the French Crown jewels.

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The Discoverie and Congress are the largest employer of labor in Germany and the largest employer and the larges Council of State before they are submitted to the N. Y. A. C., then met with foils. More energy was Reichstag. The Council of State is not a body that shown than in the previous bouts, Greger winning by possesses in any great degree the confidence and good. 5 points to 2. notion that it is first to sit in judgment upon the laws | brilliant contest Shaw was declared the winner amid notion that it is not to set in judgment. It is said, there-that are to initiate their new Utopia. It is said, there-mingled cheers and hisses by 5 to 4.

Then Eugene Van schnick, M. A. C., and R. B. now composed of eighty members, fifty of whom are | Walchaene, C. T. V., met with duelling swords. Van officials or generals; and there are only eight men in Schaich won by 5 to 3.

It, of whom Miquel is one, who have any knowledge of The next bout with duelling swords was between t, of whom Migher's the Emperor proposes to ap-industrial subjects. The Emperor proposes to ap-point on this body a certain number of workingmen, to M. A. C. Thompson won with case, not allowing his assist in these deliterations. For this he has a good opponent to make a single point. precedent in the Prussian Economic Council, or Volks-Wirtschaftrath, fifteen members of which are work and Greger. Shaw won after a brilliant battle by 5

wirtschaftrath, fifteen members of which are workingmen.

The effect of the decrees upon the electoral can vass is that they actually tend to help the socialist party. This is a surprise. The theory that the decrees were placed as a great stroke in the game for vates seemed to be confirmed by the staggering effect they had at the first recent upon the socialist they had at the first recent upon the socialist they had at the first recent upon the socialist they had at the first recent upon the socialist they had at the first recent upon the socialist.

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nnounced that the new Beichstar would achieve the ong pending unitiation of the civil code, and those make the law of the land accessible and intelligible of all men; that it would reform the fluorices of the Empire and introduce a systematic scheme for the expetion of the national debt. He prophesied that he electors would return a majority composed of one carnestly desirons for real work, and determined in the local support of the Government. His address as revived the disoping spirits of the National absents in the Reichsland. In that part of the Engire the ceaseless immigration of Germans, supplanting the french, is notably affecting the electorate; and some former Deputies, radical opponents # an exation, have refused to a stand.

MINISTER PRIMITES VISITING BISMARCK.

MINISTER PHELES VISITING BISMARCE. Minister Phelps and his wife were invited to dinn family and drink a glass of Rhenish wine over th family and drink a glass of Rhenish wine over the settlement of the Samoan troubles. The damer however an early one, and the only person present, exclusive of the family and Mr. and Mrs. Phelps, was Dr. Schwenninger. After dinner they went to the library, and the Chancellor lighted his long pipe an sent for some whe key which, he said, was a recentific from a friend in the United States. The Chancello then proposed, and all drank, the health of the Present of the United States.

TO CHECK DRINKING AWING ARMY OFFICERS An Army order has been issued to the effect that more than one liqueur glass of spirits before noon, and

THE EX ARCHDURE JOHN OF AUSTRIA. The ex Archduke John of Austria, now called Herr Orth, has bought the trading steamer Echerzog, has ----

The Rev. Dr. Hiram Hutchins, the oldest Haptist pastor in Brooklyn, who has been connected with the Bedford Avenue Church for nearly thirty years, beginning his work about the time Dr. Cuyler did, purposes resigning from his pulpit in April, when he will complete fifty years in the ministry. The church intends to make him pastor emeritus and to give him a pension of \$1,000 a year. Dr. Hutchins is seventy seven years old, and has suffered from palsy for some time. A year or two ago an assistant was secured to relieve him from some of the work of his parish, but the assistant, the Rev. T. J. Whittaker, recently accepted a call to another church. Dr. Hutchins has

THE KAISER'S RESCRIPTS. [ a son in the ministry. The Bedford Avenue Church

THE ROANOKE ASSOCIATION DINES.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS - CONGRATULATIONS FOR GENERAL SHERMAN.

The annual dinner of the Roanoke Association, mposed of Federal survivors of the battle of Roanoke Island, was held last evening at Mazetti's, Sixth ave, and Forty-ninth st. Sixiy veterans, together with a number of invited guests, were present. The assembly room was decorated with bunting and flowers. were elected as follows; President, General C. H. harney; vice-presidents, General S. L. McKibben, already recognized as altogether improbable that | D. H. Johnson, 23d Massachusetts Volunteers; F. W.

It has been published that switzerland accepts the project; but this is apparently an inference, based addresses were delivered by General Jardine, the retiring president, General Barney, president-clect, The Captain Hopper, W. B. Glies and others.

Among those present were Mayor Brackett, Captain Among those present were Mayor Brackett, Captain Charles Glasser, Nicholas Stebbins, John Kouse, the Rev. Mr. Foster, H. J. Hough, Captain L. F. Emilo, Captain D. H. Johnson, Captain W. D. Keith, Captain W. L. Kent, Frederick A. Marsh, John D. Terry, Major Louis L. Robbins, T. W. Lavake, Andrew Jacobs, Lieutenant Richard J. Berden, Captain W. B. S. Boudinot, Surgeon F. B. Gillette, Captain Benjamin W. Hopper, Major D. F. Wright, Adjutant D. P. Bible, Captain Harvee Gates, Henry Cole Smith, Lieutenant W. S. Andrews, Charles Currie, James Duffy, J. T. Miller and Captain T. F. Randolph.

If you want to hire servants or find situations, find board or rooms, buy or sell real estate, let or hire houses, find work or workers of one kind or another you should examine the many columns of interesting announcements on the eighth and much pages of The Tribune this morning.

### LIVELY FENCING CONTESTS.

FINAL BOUTS DECIDED-ONE FIGHTER FALLS IN A FAINT.

The final bouts of the Amateur Athletic Union fencing championship contest was held at the New York Athletic Club last night. A large crowd en The officials were Perry Beim referee; Eugene Higgins, director, and H. J. Blood The first bont with folls was between John Aliaire next N. Y. T. V., and S. G. Shaw, N. Y. A. C. Shaw wo In by the score of 5 to 3.

The second bout was between George Lord Day Louis Fredericks, jr., N. Y. T. V., and A. Greger

In the fourth bout, Shaw met Heintz, and after a

The final bout with the folls was between Shav

It looked like dangerous sport. Heintz won by bres and was between shed furiously at each

al bout was between Heintz and Van Schaick

## ANOTHER WOMAN'S RIGHT.

From The Boston Advertisor. ation, the other day, when a very attractive young a whose bacts had accidentally become besimeared or mud in her walk, stopped at the continuous desired than them cleaned by a brothlack. It was meen thank to be size, but it is doubtful if in liestony distributions of the course would leave their dosls in the province of the course would leave their dosls in the province of the course would have their dosls in the province of the course would be provinced by the province of the course when the province of the course of the cours

ATLANTIC CITY EXPRESS, WITH PARLOR CARS, VIA CENTRAL RAHLROAD OF NEW-JERSEY. The popular New York, Lahewood and Atlantic City Express leaves New York, for Liberty 24., North River, SUNDAY 54.

Express leaves New York, foot Liberty st., North River, week days at 2 30 p. m., and, on Sunday, beginning Rebenary 19th, at 10 a. m. Returning, leaves Atlantic City, Reading Rallroad depot, at 9 30 a. m., week days, and 3 345 p. m. Sundays, making the run in the imprecedented time of three hours and thirty four minutes.

CORNELL'S BENZOIN COSMETIC SOAP Best skin and completion Scap in the world. Once pand, always used. All droppings, 25 cts.

HENRY A. DANIELS, M. D.,
310 WEST LOTH-ST.
Diseases of the Nervous System Genito-Urinary Organs,
Impotence and Sterlity. Hours 8 to 12, 5 to 8. Habitual constipation cared and the bowels trengthened by the regular use of Carter's Little Liver tills in small desce. Don't forget this.

Men's Colored Merino Underwear, 67c.; were 41.25. Kid Glaves, two patent fasteners, 67c.; Gendhe Grand's Suspenders, 20c.; Figs Linea Callars, 10c. KEN-NEDY, 20 cortland's st., upstales.

"OTEGO," E. & W. A NEW COLLAR. "A charming country home, with modern conveniences

year New-Haven, Conn., is advertised in another column. F. B. Chusen, M. D., Philadelphia, as used the Schrin Minichal, Pastillars for threa lacuses with earther results. By all druggists at 25c and 50c per Box.

Palpitation of the heart, nervousness, tremblings, nervous headache, cold hands and bet, pain in the tack, elleved by Carter's Little Liver Pills.

Party going abroad will subjet elegant suite at The Cambridge, for a short term or balance of lease. Apply

COSHOTHAM HOLMES On Thursday, February 6, a the tastlenge of the bride's mother, by the Rev. C. W. Millard, Maria Loder, daughter of the late Jac. F. Holmes, to Thes. A. Rosbotham, of Jersey City, N. J.

## Notices of marriage must be indersed with full name and address.

# ELMENDORF on Thursday, 6th inst., at New-Bruns-vice, N. J. Maria Louisa Frelinghuysen, widow of the hete John C. Elmendorf, in the 71st year of her age, purpal services from the Second Relorand Church, on Monday, 10th inst., at 2.30 p. in. 1 p. n. junii from New York, via Pennsylvania R. R., ar-

RIDDER Scatterity, at Ridgewood, N. J., February 7, Lerre A. Kidder, youngest sen of the late William and tharbotte A. Kidder, in the 65th year of his age.
Funeral from the residence of his sister, Henrictta A. Behrsmaid, at Ridgewood, Monday, February 10, at 3 s'clock.

DIED.

HAUSELT-On Friday, February 7, at 10 p. m., at his late residence, 110 East 25th-st., New-York, Charles

The Chatham National Bank, New-York.-At a spe funeral of our lamented friend.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to Mrs. Hausett, with assurances of our heartfelt sympathy at her unspeakable loss.

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German Society of the City of New York, At a meeting of the Board of Directors held on Saturday, the 8th of February, 1890, the death of the President, Charles Hauselt, having been announced, it was Essolved, That the Board of Directors have received with profound sorrow the information of the death of their last extremely President. s will be held at her late residence, 33 Macdougal-enday, February 9, at 5:30 p. m.

TUTHILL-In Jersey City, February 8, 1899, Barriet C., wife of C. W. Tuthill.

#### Special Notices.

Fifth Avenue Art Galleries, 386 5TH-AVE., NEAR SATH-ST.

PREE EXHIBITION, DAY AND EVENING. PAINTINGS

DAVID JOHNSON, N. A. TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY EVENINGS, FEBRUARY 13TH AND 14TH, AT 8 O'CLOCK. ROBERT SOMERVILLE, AUCTIONEER.

BY ORTGIES & CO. American Art Association, MANAGERS. THOMAS E. KIRBY, AUCTIONEER. EXECUTOR'S SALE.

SAMUEL LATHAM MITCHILL BARLOW Ionday (to-morrow), Toesday and Wednesday after-cons, February 10, 11 and 12, at 2:30 o'clock. AT THE AMERICAN ART GALLERIES, 6 East 29d-st., Madison Square.
RARE ORIENTAL AND EUROPEAN CERAMICS,
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Old Silver, Enamels, Ivory Carvings, Rare Cabinet Spectmens, Bronzes, Curlos, Tapestries, Clocks.
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VAN DYCK'S CELEBRATED WORK, CHILDREN OF KING CHARLES L. "TITIAN'S SLEEPING VENUS." The entire collection to be said by order of the Executors. ON EXHIBITION PREVIOUS TO HOUR OF SALE.

AMERICAN ART ASSOCIATION, Managers, 6 East 23d-st. (Madison Square.) Artistic Frames, Latest designs, lowest prices, J. E. HUNTZ REES, 13 Fast 10th-st.

Persons Saffering from Piles Will Find Relief by using CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. 250. "Save New-York from pestilence and death, burn

the garbage and use Girondin Dishifectant." Henry King. Postoffice Notice. Letters for foreign countries need not be specially ad-Letters for instant by any particular stancer, excepa-essel for desired to send deplicates of banking and com-acen it is desired to send deplicates of banking and comding February 15, will

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SATURDAY At 2 20 a. m. for France, Switzerland, SATURDAY At 2 20 a. m. for France, Via Limon and Portugal, par s. s. La Lindad, Rel. esta Rica, via Limon, per

SUNDAY At S m. m. for Costa Rica, via Limon, per s. s. Foxball, from New Articans.

Mails for Chien and Jason, for s. s. City of Rio do Jameiro (from Son Francisco), class here February 19, at 7 n. m. Mails for the Braulain Islands, per s. s. Australia from Son Francisco, class here February 23, at 7 p. m. Mails for the Sactive Islands, per s. s. Australia from San Francisco, class here February 23, at 7 p. m. Mails for Australia, New Zeninod, Hawalion, Fill and Samoon Islands, per s. s. Zeninoder from San Francisco, class here February 23, at 7 p. m. Samoon Islands, per s. s. Zeninoder from San Francisco, class here February 24, at 7 p. m. Sanoon Islands, per s. s. Zeninoder from San Francisco, dose here March 3 at 7 p. m. or arrival at Now-York of s. s. Aurabla, with British mails for Australia, Mails for Cula by rait to Touren, Fill, and thence by steamer, via Key West, Fla., above at this ofice daily at 2300 a. m.

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(OBNELLUS VAN COTT, Postmaster, Postmaster, New-York, N. Y., February 7, 1890.

## Beligions No ices

ALL SOULS CHURCH, Madisonave and 60th-st.-tev. II. HEBER NEWTON will peach at 11 a. m. and p. m. 4 D. D.

AMURICAN TEMPERANCE UNION, Union Tebernacia
Church, 35th-st., near Broadway - Sunday afternoon, 3 30,
addresses by R.y. C. H. AFFAD of Hornellaville, N. Yy,
and Mrs. LAURA ORMISSON CHANT, of England,
Choice song service by the colebrated Silver Lake Quartette. Miss ANNET PARK, Committee,
JOSEPH BOGARDUS, President.

BELOVID DISCIPLE School, near Madison-ave, flow S GERGOOD LINES Rocker, will officiate at 12 bridgel. Analysisary "Dannifers of the King," with genon by Roy, CHARLES MARTIN NILES, 7:45.

p. m.
CHURCH OF CHRIST (Scientist), Hardman Hall, cer.
19th-st, and 5th-ave., cutrame 2 West 19th-st.—Preaching
service, Sunday, 10 30 a. m. Sunday-shool at 12 m.
Christian Science Headquarters, Readour-room and Dispensary, removed to 10 East 2.d-st., open day and evening.

CHURCH OF THE MESSIAH, corner 3thist, and Park ave. Services at 11 a. m. preaching by the Rev. RUSH R. SHIPPEN, of Washington, D. C. DISCIPLES OF CHRIST, 50th-st. near Sth-ave., the Rev. B. B. TYLER. Instort—Morning subject: "The Present residies of the Broke." Evening meeting under the auspices of the National Teleperance Society. Addresses by the Rev. A B. MEAD and Mr. J. N. STELARNS, secretary of the Seciety. Music by the Silver Lake Quartette.

FIRST SOCIETY OF SPIRITUALISTS. Adelphi Hall, 52d-st. Broadway.—Miss JENNIE B. HAGAN, inspirational speaker, 11 a. m. and 7-45 p. m. Experiences and Theoremena at 2:45 p. m., Mrs. M. E. WILLIAMS and others.

ST. MARK'S CHURCH, 2d-aye, and 10th-st.-11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Rev. Dr. RYLANCE will preach, Morning subject: "The Use and Abuse of Money." Evening subject: "Strength in Christian Character and Life."

ST. TIMOTHY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, destroyed by Ire. Service Sunday neorning in St. John's Methodist by Ire. Service Sunday morning in St. John's Methodist Epis-opal Church, 531-st., between Sth. ave. and Broadway, at 11 o'clock. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. No ovening service.

TRINITY CHURCH.—The Right Rev. Dr. LEWIS, Lord Bisnop of Churic, will preach on Sunday morning in the interest of the British and American Mission Homes in Paris, founded by Miss Ada Leigh. Hour of service, 10:30 o'clock.